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MONSTER ENERGY COMPANY,	) Opposition No.: 91219109
Opposer,	) Serial No.: 86/255599
v.	) Mark: MONSTER MELONS
CUTTWOOD, LLC,	)
Applicant.	)
	)

## MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF ANSWER DISCOVERY OR TRIAL PERIODS WITH CONSENT

Commissioner for Trademarks P.O. Box 1451 Alexandria, VA 22313-1451

Dear Sir or Madam:

Pursuant to C.F.R. § 2.120(a)(2), Opposer, Monster Energy Company, hereby moves that the deadline for Applicant, Cuttwood, LLC, to file its Answer and be extended 60 days until August 5, 2015 in the above-referenced opposition proceeding, and all subsequent dates set in this case be extended accordingly.

The proposed dates are as follows:

Time to Answer

August 5, 2015

Deadline for Discovery Conference

September 4, 2015

Discovery Opens

September 4, 2015

Initial Disclosures Due

October 4, 2015

Expert Disclosures Due

February 1, 2015

Discovery Period to Close	March 2, 2016
Plaintiff's Pretrial Disclosures due	April 16, 2016
Plaintiff's 30-day Trial Period Ends	May 31, 2016
Defendant's Pretrial Disclosures	June 15, 2016
Defendant's 30-day Trial Period Ends	July 30, 2016
Plaintiff's Rebuttal Disclosures	August 14, 2016
Plaintiff's 15-day Rebuttal Period Ends	<b>September 13, 2016</b>

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This motion is not for purposes of delay but to allow the parties to continue settlement negotiations. Applicant's counsel, Justin H. Aida, consented to this extension via email on May 28, 2015.

The parties are confident the short extension will help avoid unnecessary costs associated with discovery, pre-trial motion practice, and testimony, and could avert costs to the Board as well. Moreover, the Motion is stipulated between all parties, which indicates neither party will be prejudiced by any delay associated with the suspension. In light of the foregoing, Opposer respectfully moves that the Board extend all deadlines for a period of 60 days.

Respectfully submitted,

Monster Energy Company

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#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and complete copy of the foregoing MOTION FOR

#### EXTENSION OF ANSWER DISCOVERY OR TRIAL PERIODS WITH CONSENT has

been served on Applicant's attorney of record on May 28, 2015 via electronic mail:

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